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August 25, 1997

CERTIFIED MAIL P 331 168 920 RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Joseph Haake The Boeing Company Environmental and Hazardous Materials Services P.O. Box 516, Department 64C Mail Code 1003377 St. Louis, MO 63166-0516

RE: Change of Ownership for McDonnell Douglas, Tract I Facility

Dear Mr. Haake:

The Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) has become aware of the acquisition of the McDonnell Douglas Corporation by the Boeing Company. According to your information, McDonnell Douglas still exists as a company wholly owned by Boeing. As such, McDonnell Douglas will retain its name in the RCRA permit just re-issued, along with any environmental responsibilities at the site. Because of this fact, MDNR is not requiring that McDonnell Douglas submit a modification to change the name of Operator on the existing permit. However, due to the fact that the facility is now part of the Boeing Company, Boeing will be required to submit a habitual violator disclosure. This requirement is in accordance with Missouri state regulation 10 CSR 25-7.270(2)(D)1. The regulations governing habitual violators are contained in 10 CSR 25-7.270(2)(H). The habitual violator disclosure shall be submitted to MDNR within 45 days of receipt of this letter. A copy of the disclosure statement form is attached to this letter.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Mr. Brian McCurren, of my staff, at (573) 751-3553.

Sincerely,

HAZARDOUS WASTE PROGRAM

Robert K. Morrison, P.E., Chief

Land Disposal/PCB Permits Unit

RCRA Records Center

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c: Bob Stewart, P.E., U.S. EPA Region VII
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